investment in terms of gross block made in these enterprises as on 31-3-1987 for which period the information has been finalised are given in the enclosed statement.

Statement

Name of Public Sector undertaking	Name of State/ Union Territory in which Set-up	Investment in terms of Gross Block as on 31-3-87 (Rs. in crores)
1	2	3
Bharat Bheri Udyog Nigam Ltd.	West Bengal	NIL
Bharat Yantra Nigam Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	NIL
Power Finance Corpn. Ltd.	Delhi	NIL
Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Ltd.	Delhi	979.15
Videsh Sanchar Nigam Ltd.	Maharashtra	70.27
National Airports Authority*	Delhi	N.A.
Indian Railway Finance Corpn. Ltd.*	Delhi	N.A.
Northern Coalfields Ltd.	Madhya Pradesh	599.43
South Eastern Coalfields Ltd.	Bihar	861.03
Hindustan Packaging Co. Ltd.	Gujarat	3.61
Hindustan Fluorocarbons Ltd.	Andhra Pradesh	0 87
Pawan Hans Ltd.	Delhi	87.12
Gas Authority of India Ltd.	Delhi	4.45
Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corpn. Ltd.	Delhi	26.56
Hooghly Dock & Ports Engineers Ltd.	West Bengal	3.47
Tyre Corpn. of India Ltd.	West Bengal	12.23
Kanpur Textiles Ltd.	Uttar Pradesh	5.45
Bengal Immunity Ltd.	West Bengal	3.14

*Information could not be furnished by the Public Sector Undertakings.

Provision of LPG facility in various districts of West Bengal

1160. SHRI SUNIL BASU RAY: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of places in Darjeeling, Jalpaiguri, Coochbehar, West Dinajpur and Murshidabad districts of West Bengal which have been covered by LPG facility at the end of December, 1987;

(b) whether it is a fact that these districts are highly neglected in providing LPG facility;

(c) what are the names of the places of those districts in which LPG distributorships are proposed to be established in the marketing plan for 1988-89; and

(d) what steps have been taken so far to ensure due coverage of these districts of West Bengal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT): (a) and (c) The Oil Industry is marketing LPG at present at 17 locations in the Districts referred to. In addition, the Oil Industry has pro-

posed to set up one LPG distributorship each at Islampur (West Dinajpur), Dinahata (Coochbehar) Darjeeling, Siliguri (Darjeeling) and Raigunj (West Dinajpur) under its various Annual Marketing Plans upto 1988-89;

(b) No, Sir;

(d) With the commissioning of the LPG distributorships indicated above, it is expected that the LPG requirements of these districts will be adequately met.

Identified 'No Industry Districts' in the country

1161. SHRI NARAYAN KAR: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) the number of 'No Industry Districts' identified so far in the country;

(b) Statewise names of the districts; and

(c) the steps so far taken by Government to set up industries there during the last three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) 93 districts have been identified as No Industry Districts. Their names are given in the booklet "Incentives for industries in backward areas (updated upto Oct. 20, 1986)", copies of which are available in the Parliament Library.

(c) The following No. of Letters of Intent and Industrial Licences have been issued to No Industry Districts during the last three years:

1985		1986		1987	
LOI	IL	LOI	IL	LOI	IL
114	33	94	29	69	19

ONGC achievements in West Bengal

1162. SHRI NARAYAN KAR: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state the details of the activities and the achievements of the ONGC in West Bengal?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI BRAHM DUTT): ONGC is carrying out hydrocarbon exploration work in West Bengal since 1963. The details of exploration work done in West Bengal are as under:—

Surveys	
Seismic (LK+SLK)	29,820
Geological (Sq. km. equivalent of semi detailed mapping)	8,807
Gravity Magnetic (No. of stations)	47,222
Drilling	
No. of wells drilled & tested	17
No. of wells under drilling/testing	3

No commercial discovery of hydrocarbons has been made so far in West Bengal.

Setting up of modern industries in Tripura

1163. SHRI NARAYAN KAR: Will the Minister of INDUSTRY be pleased to state the details of the steps taken by Government so that modern industries could come up in Tripura?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): Entrepreneurs